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HOMICIDE 6000 BLOCK OF SOUTH FONTANA AVENUE

On September 25, 2011 at approximately 8:50 p.m., the Tucson Police Department received a 911 call reporting a suspicious vehicle in the 6000 block of South Fontana Avenue. The caller reported that an unfamiliar vehicle had been left on the street. Officers from Operations Division South responded to the area and located the vehicle. Inside the vehicle was the body of a deceased male, with obvious signs of trauma. The victim has been identified as **26-year old Arturo Arvizu**, of Tucson. Next of kin have been notified.

Detectives from the Night Detectives Unit initially responded to the scene, and based upon their initial findings, discovered indications of gang involvement. The Gang Unit responded to continue the investigation at the scene, and the investigation is ongoing at this time.

Detectives are working to determine the identity and whereabouts of the suspects, as well as to determine a motive for this homicide.

The Tucson Police Department urges anyone with information about this investigation to call **911** or **88-CRIME**.

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